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MR. M'CARTHY'S MANIFESTO

Its Effect Looks Like the Break-Up of the Home Rule Party.

The Sedan Celebrations—The Globe Fears for the Peace of Europe.

London, Sept. 2.—Justin McCarthy, M. P., leader of the Home Rule party, has issued a manifesto denouncing the nomination of the Healeyite candidate for parliament in Kerry, in opposition to the McCarthyite candidate, which is causing much sensation in the lobby of the House of Commons. Mr. McCarthy says the course of the Healeyites is to incite treason and revolt. The manifesto was issued without consultation with other members of the Home Rule party, or with the consultive committee. It is thought that Mr. John Dillon and T. P. O'Connor alone were consulted by McCarthy.

The Pall Mall Gazette asserts that one of the most respected members of the Irish Home Rule party, who has not been mixed up with any of the party's personal disputes, says the McCarthy manifesto looks like the final breaking up of the party.

London, Sept. 2.—In a leading article published to-day, the Globe expresses the opinion that the German celebrations endanger the peace of Europe. The tone of the Berlin papers, says the Globe, has been offensive, and such as to needlessly wound the feelings of the French people. The Emperor, the Globe further says, has allowed himself on more than one occasion recently to use language which is at least capable of being misunderstood. While the Globe does not believe the Emperor desires war, his utterances, it is said, are assuredly not such as to further the cause of peace.

Berlin, Sept. 2.—Emperor William was astir early to-day and inaugurated the second day of the festivities in connection with the celebration of the battle of Sedan by personally decorating with branches of oak leaves four corps' standards. The first regiment of guards was drawn up in front of the castle to witness the ceremony. At 8:30 o'clock the Emperor set out for the parade grounds to review the German-American veterans. The weather was beautiful and the city had put on its gayest attire. Crowds thronged the streets which were most elaborately decorated with flags and bunting.

At the celebration yesterday of the battle of Sedan, Prince Leopold, second son of Loitpold, prince regent of Bavaria, delivered a speech, in the course of which he thanked his hearers in the name of his father for the patriotism which they had evinced. Prince Leopold said that in every town and village throughout the empire German hearts were filled with joy at the remembrance of the great and memorable period in the history of the nation which was concluded on the battlefield of Sedan. This celebration, the prince continued, was unparalleled in the military history of Germany. If God so willed it, he said, the army would again, as it was a quarter of a century ago, be prepared to wage war until the last breath in the combat of life and death against any who dare lay hands upon the most sacred possessions of the fatherland.

Madrid, Sept. 2.—The Polish Count Hohkirk, whose statement regarding the action of the American steamer Alliance in Cuban waters some months ago created considerable excitement here, declares that Captain Crossman, of the Alliance, confessed to him that his vessel carried contraband of war, adding that as he was in Cuban waters he must depend upon the superior speed of his steamer to avoid being overhauled.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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BUSINESS CHANCE.

Having purchased the stock-in-trade of Mr. Smith, 58 Fort St., I wish to inform the public that the business carried on by me at 45 Pandora St. will be removed to that address on or about the 5th September, when I will welcome all old customers and, I hope, many new ones. I am prepared to execute any manner of mechanical repairs, including

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LATEST NEWS FROM ALBERNI.

Mining Matters Brisk—Rich Finds, and Everyone Hopeful.

Alberni, B. C., Sept. 2.—Mostly all the prospectors who gathered here over night left for the hills after an early breakfast this morning.

A man came in from Mineral creek last night and reported that he had discovered an eight-foot ledge of blue quartz cutting through the Missing Link ledge at right angles and running due east and west. The existence of this ledge was not previously known to the owners of the Missing Link. It may have no value, but an order has been sent out for specimens, and Mr. McCoy reports that the Starlight ledge, which Mr. Sutton supposed had a width of only seven feet, has been ascertained to be at least 500 feet wide, and has been traced three miles. A specimen from the Yellowstone ledge assayed $1400 yesterday.

The public should accept assays with caution; one piece picked from a ledge may assay high, another piece from the same ledge may assay low, while pieces from across the ledge will alone give the true value. All the rock may pay to work, but the very rich streak may be narrow, and should not be taken as determining the true value of the ledge. The same may be said of low grade rock. A claim that will yield $100 to the ton in Alberni will speedily enrich its owners. Adam Ross and George Brown were among the departures for Mineral Hill to-day.

Henry and F. P. Saunders returned last night from a visit to the mines, bringing many specimens of quartz rock which will assay high. They say the ledge is traced as far down Mineral Hill as the Ace of Spades claim; they confirm the report of a rich strike on the east side of Mineral Hill by George Brown. Mineral Hill is now believed to be a great mass of quartz. They went to the Golden Eagle mines on China creek and brought away a sack full of ore, of which they say there are thousands of tons in sight.

Some Vancouver people have bonded claims on Coleman creek. A party went over this creek on Saturday night to stake off claims there and another party will start in the morning. Geologists cannot classify the rock, but think it belongs to the conglomerate. The Ace of Spades claim, adjoining the Ontario claim, on Mineral Hill, was sold to-day to a Victoria syndicate for $800. The ledge was struck two weeks ago.

THE PEARY RELIEF PARTY.

Heard from—They Are Safe and Making Good Progress.

St. Johns, Nfld., Sept. 2.—The first news from the Pears relief expedition since its departure was received here to-day. It came by the American schooner John E. Mackenzie, sailing from the Greenland halibut fisheries. The Mackenzie met the Kite with the expedition at Holsteinburg on July 15. At Holsteinburg the Kite took aboard Prof. Dyche, one of the members of the expedition, and sailed again the same evening. Very little ice is reported south of Greenland waters. The Mackenzie fished in latitude 68 and saw no ice in sufficient quantity to cause the steamer inconvenience. The crew of the Mackenzie think the Kite will have no difficulty in reaching Wales Sound, where the Peary headquarters are located. The return of the relief party is expected about the end of this month.

FRUITS OF FOREST FIRES.

Passenger Train Derailed by Fallen Tree—Plucky Engineer.

Seattle, Sept. 2.—The engine and baggage car on the Seattle, Lake Shore and Eastern road was derailed last night near this city by a tree which had been burned about the roots and fallen across the rails. The train consisted of eight coaches, several of which were filled with excursionists. Engineer Gabriel did not see the tree until within two car lengths, but stood at his post and saved the train. As the engine went over, he jumped, sustaining serious injuries. None of the passengers were injured.

FORTY YEARS ON FIRE.

The Foord Coal Mine in Nova Scotia Still Burning.

The commissioners appointed by the local government to inquire into the "history, causes and effect," of the coal mine fires of Pictou county, have just finished taking evidence, said the Halifax Herald. The work of the commission was directed mainly to an investigation of the condition of the Foord pit. This mine has been on fire in one place or another since the fifties, and it is burning yet. Explosion after explosion has occurred, and many lives have been lost. When the fire broke out in one place the miners resorted to another, sinking a new shaft. To avoid the fire on an upper level, a shaft was sunk and coal taken out on a level immediately below the fire. Soon the fire came through, and again the miners were driven out. Nothing that the owners could do availed to drive out the fire, and the splendid mine has been practically abandoned, though a little coal has been taken out on a level below a part that is on fire. The object of the commission is to learn whether something cannot be done to save so valuable a property as the Foord pit.

THE VEXED LABOR QUESTION

Workmen Will Resist Imported Laborers—Big Carpet Firm Surrenders.

Labor Day in the States—Germans Celebrate Sedan—American Matters.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 2.—H. F. Seale, of this city, started from the corner of Washington boulevard and Halstead street at 4:30 o'clock this morning to try for the Chicago-New York bicycle record.

To-day being labor day the Chicago socialists had their red flag presentation as arranged, but the presence of the police made it a very tame affair. The flag was presented to the socialists by the daughter of Oscar Neebe, on behalf of the wives and daughters of the radicals in this city. It is blood red in color and one side bears the inscription, "Socialistic labor party of Chicago." The police were informed that it was the intention of the socialists to parade after the presentation ceremonies and that the flag was to be carried at the head of the procession, but the officers informed the committee that no such parade would be permitted and the idea was accordingly given up. The speeches were very tame, having none of the old time radical ring in them. There was considerable disappointment because Keir Hardie failed to put in an appearance, as it had been announced that he would address the assemblage.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 2.—Thousands of Germans took part in to-day's celebration of the 25th anniversary of the battle of Sedan.

Pana, Ill., Sept. 2.—The old shaft of the Pana coal mine is ablaze, and the lives of three men are in peril. It is possible these men, who are imprisoned in the pit, may escape by shaft No. 2, but this is by no means certain. The fire was first noticed at 8:30 o'clock last night. The shaft of the burning mine is 700 feet deep, and this, with the great amount of gas, made it impossible for the workmen to get at the fire. Late last night the entire force of diggers at the mines were at work in shaft No. 2, in an endeavor to rescue the imprisoned men. There are fears that when an entrance to the burning mine shall have been effected it will be found that the three coal diggers have succumbed.

Hickman, Ky., Sept. 2.—At 2 o'clock this morning William Butcher, a desperate negro, was taken from jail by a mob. His head was shot off and his body riddled with bullets. The masks of some of the crowd were found near the negro's dead body.

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Miss Mary Calvert, of Youngstown, died yesterday morning from chloroform administered by Dr. W. F. Falkner, to lessen pain in extracting four teeth.

New York, Sept. 2.—Lovely weather attends labor day. Little business was done, the banks and exchanges being closed, and also most mercantile establishments.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 2.—While endeavoring to prevent Fred Chapman from beating his wife to-day, William Davis was fatally shot by the enraged husband.

THE VEXED LABOR QUESTION.

Workmen Will Give Resistance—Big Firm Surrenders.

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 2.—The citizens of this iron mining town are full of apprehension of impending trouble to-day. Half a dozen companies of the Michigan National Guard are encamped in the vicinity of Lake Angelin mine, where steam shovels are to be operated by men brought from Chicago to take the places of the strikers. The mine operators are determined to move their ore, and the strikers, made desperate by their straits, threaten bloodshed if the imported workmen start the shovel.

Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—Thomas Devlon & Sons, carpet weavers, have signed the schedule presented by the men, and all their weavers went to work this morning. The surrender of this firm ends the great strike which began about seven weeks ago, and which kept about 8000 workmen and a dozen big mills idle.

CAUSE OF THE MASSACRES.

An Ex-Resident in China's Reason for the Ku Cheng Affair.

San Francisco, Sept. 2.—Chester Holcomb, who has just returned from China after 21 years' service in the American legation at Pekin, says the recent massacre is traceable to the result of the Chinese-Japanese war. "At the commencement of the war between China and Japan," said he, "it was generally considered the lives of foreigners in China would be in no great danger as long as the war lasted, and it is only since hostilities ceased that the danger has commenced. In the first place the great mass of the Chinese people are disappointed with the result of the war, and are taking revenge on all foreigners whom they can kill with impunity. In the second place killing and pillaging receives great encouragement by reason of the depredations committed by hordes of disbanded soldiers all over the country."

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PHILADELPHIA TO TRY HOLMES

For the Murder of Pietzel, Whose Skull Has Been Exhumed.

Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—From the latest developments in the Holmes-Pietzel case, it is probable that the swindler and alleged murderer, will be tried here for the murder of Ben F. Pietzel. The body of the latter is buried in Mechanics' cemetery in this city. To-day Dr. Higinbotham, of the coroner's office, went to the cemetery and exhumed the dead man's skull.

It had been stated by District Attorney Graham that nothing further would be done in the case until the fate of the children had been settled. This being established, it is believed Holmes will be indicted for murder here, and the skull will be presented so that it may be identified by Pietzel's peculiar teeth.

CONFIRMS THE REPORT

Of Cholera in Honolulu—Italy Wants American Riflemen.

Washington, Sept. 2.—Consul-General Wills, at Honolulu, in an official dispatch to the state department, says that cholera has prevailed at Honolulu, but is confined to the natives and the Chinese, and that there have been about seven deaths. He adds: "There is no alarm, and every precaution is being taken."

Baron Fava, Italian ambassador, informs the department of state that a prize shooting contest in which the Italian government desires American marksmen to participate, will take place at Rome on the 30th of September, in connection with the festivities commemorating the union of that city with the kingdom of Italy.

THE BOYCOTT ON PULLMAN.

Mayor of Chicago Advised Debs and Howard to Put It on.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—The Times-Herald prints interviews with Eugene V. Debs and W. O. Howard, president and vice-president of the A. R. U., in which they assert that before they ordered the boycott of the Pullman coaches they consulted with ex-Mayor Hopkins, then the mayor of Chicago, and were advised by him to issue the boycott against the Pullman cars. They assert that Mr. Hopkins advised them to tie up all the railroads which would not agree to refuse to haul Pullman cars. Mr. Hopkins was once an employee of the Pullman company, and was discharged from the company's service

In the course of the interview Howard said: "I do not care to speak of the effect of the mayor's attitude on the police, or what we learned of the way the department was conducted."

A DOG'S DEVOTION.

Died of Grief for the Death of His Beloved Master.

Percy M. Coombs, second mate of the schooner Sparta of New Haven, and son of Captain J. M. Coombs, master of the vessel, died on June 7 at Boston of congestion of the brain. He was taken ill while on the voyage from Baltimore to that port.

When it was found that Mr. Coombs' illness was of a serious nature, Captain Coombs put the vessel into one of the ports south of Boston to secure medical attention for his son. Nothing that could be done was of avail, and the young man died as stated.

A fine dog which the second mate owned, and which was strongly attached to him, missed him so greatly that he grieved to death, dying on Monday last, when the schooner arrived at Baltimore from the Kennebec river with a cargo of ice.

After the schooner reached the Kennebec it was noticed that the dog was acting strangely and seemed to miss its master exceedingly, and when the vessel sailed out of the river with its cargo on board and without the dead sailor the dog seemed to be frantic. It became worse every day, and when the vessel came to Baltimore the dog died, apparently in great agony, and while stroking its head with its paws, something it had been doing continually. "A singular thing about the case," said Captain Coombs, "was that the dog seemed to be affected in the same manner in which Mr. Coombs was affected shortly before his death."—Baltimore Sun.

STATE OF THE MARKET.

Export of Specie—Review of the Week's Business.

New York, Sept. 2.—Exports of specie from the port of New York for the past week amounted to $4,672,500 in gold and $950,499 in silver. Imports, gold, $180,166; silver, $11,995.

The Evening Post's financial article says the bank statement reflects the existing situation. Outstanding loans decreased this week, though slightly, for the first time since July 27; in the four weeks following that date the loan accounts expanded $7,356,500. The present decrease marks no doubt a moderate liquidation in the local market for securities. It does not mean business dullness elsewhere. The returns of this week's clearing house show that the country's active commercial centres continue to show a remarkably sustained activity. Bank holdings of legal tenders increased heavily and this is due to somewhat unusual causes. Receipts of currency from the interior are hardly balancing western shipments now; last week the shipments were materially in excess. Moreover, the banks have been paying legal tenders into the treasury against the gold withdrawals for export. But the syndicate has released this week a round lot of money hitherto "locked up," from the bank subscriptions, and this is once more in the open market. No doubt this distribution was in a way facilitated by the syndicate's reimbursements to the treasury for the $10,625,000 gold paid in to keep up the reserve, including this week $2,500,000 which was, of course, exchanged for legal tenders.

The stock market Saturday was exceptionally active for a half holiday preceding two other holidays, and, with hardly an exception, advances in prices were recorded. The new independent combination of distillers affected distilling stock to the extent of a slight fractional loss. The feature in point of activity and extent were the coalers, headed by New Jersey Central and Reading, St. Paul, Louisville & Nashville, sugar, tobacco and Chicago gas. The low-priced stocks were conspicuously firm. Buying was in a large measure attributed to the indisposition of the traders to remain short over the holidays. There was fair buying almost for long account, influenced by the higher London quotations for American securities.

REFORMS ON THE G. T. R.

The Pioneer Road Won't Improve Under the New Presidency.

Toronto, Sept. 2.—Sir Charles R. Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk railway company, who is now on a tour of inspection of the road, was tendered a reception by the board of trade on Saturday. Mr. Stapleton Caldecott, one of the members, made the following suggestions: That a local board should be appointed in Caunada who could settle important questions without referring to the London board; that there should be a reduction of the rates for passenger traffic, and that the rates should not exceed two cents per mile; that there should be an improved service between Buffalo, New York and Toronto. There should also be a better service to Muskoka and a better station at the ends of the route; and a great tourist trade could be developed; that there should be improved rolling stock on the branch lines, and that the dirty, out-of-date cars should be removed; that a line should be constructed between North Bay and Tamiscaming.

In replying, Sir Charles thought that Mr. Caldecott was a little too severe, and said that as the bulk of the securities of the road are held in London the directors of the road, must, to a great extent, emanate from there. If the Canadian public want to manage the railway, they should exhibit their confidence in the undertaking by taking a larger financial interest in it. The reforms suggested by Mr. Caldecott were such that he, as president, could not personally carry out, they rested with the proprietors of the road. He, however, would be glad to receive any charges that could be made in writing, and they would receive the attention of the board of directors. While acting for the shareholders of the Grand Trunk, the grievances of the customers of the road would be considered. Respecting the reduction of fares, Sir Charles did not think the present a good time for such a reform, in view of the state of the company's finances. They were, perhaps, higher than they might be, but it could not well be helped till there was an adjustment with their competitors, not in this country, but on the other side. Sir Charles was surprised to hear the charge that the rolling stock was not in good condition. He and his friend, Mr. Price, had been well pleased with the state of the road.

CELEBRATING SEDAN DAY.

Elaborate Preparations for Commemorating This Victory.

Berlin, Sept. 2.—Sedan day was celebrated in a more general and enthusiastic manner than ever since 1870. No business was done after noon. The Siemenz and Halske people paid their 5,000 workmen double wages on that day and let them enjoy themselves. Many other firms did likewise. The government employes got their holiday with full pay and all the schools were closed.

The celebration commenced with a very impressive ceremony, the dedication of Emperor William's memorial church. A platform, capable of seating 5,000 was erected for the accommodation of of the favored guests. The Emperor and Empress arrived at the spot at 10 o'clock in a six-horse carriage escorted by a detachment of cuirassiers of the guard and were handed the golden key of the church by the deputation When their Majesties reached the inside of the church, hymns were sung and a patriotic sermon preacned, and when the Emperor and Empress left the band played "Die Wacht am Rhein." A cordon of troops and veterans, including the German-American volunteers, who are now visiting this city, surrounded the church and were reviewed by the Emperor. It is noteworthy that not only the Protestant, but the Catholic churches had special Sedan day services.

The fetes were inaugurated by a full parade, held by the Emperor on the Tempelhof Field. There was an unusually large display of troops and the Kings of Saxony and Wurtemburg were present.

During the early morning a patriotic festival was held in the various public schools, a gala performance was given at the Royal Opera on Sunday evening, including a ballet militaria, and the patriotic drama "1812" will be performed this evening at the Schauspelhaus by order of the Emperor.

The Berlin Turner societies arranged a series of games and popular sports for the afternoon of Sunday on the Tempelhof Field. The American colony were present at the parade to-day and there will be illuminations upon a splendid scale this evening. The Emperor has given 5,000 marks out of his own purse for the illumination of the Schloss. Every window of that huge pile will be aglow, in addition to magnificent electrical effects from the cupola, balconies and portals. The city pays for the illumination of the public buildings, parks and squares and every business firm is doing something in the same line. Almost every building will fly flags and all the other big cities will be decorated and illuminated upon a similar scale, especially Dresden, where the main fetes were held on Sunday. A big celebration was also held at the Neiderwald monument. A torpedo boat has ascended the Rhine to the foot of the monument in order to carry the imperial flag there.

Considerable indignation has been felt at the fact that the authorities of Berlin and elsewhere are arranging a counter demonstration. Six meetings of socialists have been called for to-day by Herren Bebel, Liebknecht, Singer, Auer and other leaders in order to protest the commemorations of the victories of 1870. A large force of police and detectives have been ordered to Stettin and its vicinity in anticipation of trouble.

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the world's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

THE INDIGESTIBLE CROW.

Mr. Labouchere Comes Across Some Facts Relating to Foods.

The first great discovery I made is that mushrooms are the most digestible article of diet known, being disposed of by the average human digestive apparatus in one hour and twenty minutes. Being very fond of mushrooms, but having always suspected their virtues, this takes a great weight off my mind, and I am looking forward to many happy days during the mushroom season. Another intersting discovery is that the banana is the most digestible of fruits, digesting in one hour and forty-five minutes, against four hours for a walnut or chestnut, and four hours and five minutes for a raisin.

A rook, it seems, is the toughest morsel a man can eat, taking him six hours to negotiate, while a lark or a snipe is assimilated in two hours. If our authority is to be trusted, you had better live on roast pork than rook pie, for a dish of roast pork only lasts five hours and thirty minutes before it is finally absorbed. I never heard of anybody but an agricultural laborer eating a rook, and if it takes him six hours to complete the process, it is a question whether we feeble dwellers in towns would ever accomplish it. I fear that a rook would finish me before I finished the rook.—The London Truth.

Mr. Jacob Wilcox of St. Thomas, Ontario, is one of the best known men in that vicinity. He is now, he says, an old man, but Hood's Sarsaparilla has made him feel young again.

"About a year ago I had a very severe attack of the grip, which resulted in my not having a well day for several months afterwards. I was completely run down and my system was in a

Terrible Condition.

I lost flesh and became depressed in spirits. Finally a friend who had been benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla advised me to try it and I did so. I continued taking it until I used twelve bottles and today I can honestly say Hood's Sarsaparilla has restored me to my former health." JACOB WILCOX, St. Thomas, Ontario.

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Tenders received to noon on 10th Sept.

Apply H. J. ROBERTSON, Times Office.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

Take notice that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, for a transfer of license to sell wines, spirits and other fermented liquors by retail on the premises known as the Bay View Saloon, situate at the corner of Government and Humboldt Streets, Victoria, from the present holder thereof, John Roberts, to Joseph Hazelwood King, of 105 Fisguard Street, Victoria.

Dated the 17th day of July, 1895.

JOHN ROBERTS.

aug10-1m JOSEPH H. KING.

NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of William Reay, late of North Saanich, deceased, Intestate.

All persons who are indebted to the estate of the above named deceased are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith, and all persons who have claims against the estate are required to forward particulars thereof by the 31st day of August, 1895, to Messrs. Yates & Jay, 22 Bastion Street, Victoria.

Dated the 13th day of August, A. D. 1895.

J. W. REAY, Administrator.

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THE BRITISH SHIP

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Land Registry Act.

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T. O TOWNLEY, District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Vancouver, 24th June, 1895. 3m.

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S. Y. WOOTTON, Deputy Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, June 28, 1895.

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D. ROSS.
Times Travelling Correspondent.

CURRENT HISTORY.

Larger and better than ever. Current History of the second quarter of 1895 has appeared. In every respect its standard of carefulness of compilation, attractiveness of treatment, editorial impartiality, and breadth of view, is fully maintained. The present number begins with an article on argon and its discoverers, giving in full the history of the investigations of Lord Rayleigh and Prof. Ramsay, a summary of all that is yet known of the new constituent of the atmosphere, illustrated with portraits of the discoverers, drawings of apparatus, and photographs of the spectra of argon. To teachers and scientists this article alone is well worth the price of a year's subscription. The income tax decision of the United States supreme court is fully treated in all its bearings. The complicated issues of the silver problem are clearly presented, so that the reader can readily get a clear idea of how the parties stand on this vexed question. The Japan-China war, the British occupation of Corinth, the outrages upon Christians in Armenia, the Manitoba school question, the fall of the Rosebery ministry, the opening of the Kaiser Wilhelm canal, relief of Chitral in British India, the latest scientific inventions and discoveries, and hundreds of other topics connected with politics, municipal reform, labor developments, temperance, etc., in the United States and all other countries in the world, also receive concise and adequate treatment. The frontispiece is a portrait of Lord Rayleigh; while the portrait of Prof. Ramsay and 36 other celebrities also appear. (Buffalo, N. Y., Garretson, Cox & Co. $1.50 a year; single numbers, 40 cents; sample copy, 10 cents; specimen pages free.)

—No appetite? Then do not try to force food down; but use the most scientific means for restoring tone to the stomach. How? Why, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and in a surprisingly short time your appetite will come again, and come to stay.

—The fruit season is not over yet. If you are wanting fruit jars, or any preserving utensils, you can get all you want at Weiler Bros.

ROUND-THE-WORLD TRAFFIC.

Huntington's Scheme of Competition With the Canadian Pacific.

New York, Sept. 2.—The biggest kind of railroad combination has just been perfected to wrest from the Canadian Pacific railroad and the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company and its connections the round-the-world business which is now controlled by the latter. This scheme to get control of this traffic was, it it said, evolved by Collis P. Huntington, president of the Southern Pacific railroad. It is nothing less than a combination of all the trunk lines in the United States with the principal passenger steamship lines, the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company and the Pacific Mail Steamship Company to handle round-the-world business in joint competition against the Canadian Pacific Railway and Steamship Company. While the travel under Mr. Huntington's plan is divided between the railroads, the transatlantic and the Baltimore and Ohio lines, the entire round-the-world traffic is concentrated, when it comes to crossing the Pacific, to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's boats. Mr. Huntington is heavily interested in the latter company.

A few days ago under the plan which has been agreed upon by all railroad and steamship lines interested, round-the-world tickets were placed on sale at all the principal cities in this country and Europe. It is now possible for one to purchase a coupon ticket in New York or any other city which will be good over any of the big transatlantic steamship lines. The parties to this scheme expect to take away from the Canadian Pacific a good deal of their business.

—The arrests made by the city police during August were as follows: Drunks, 21; infraction of city by-laws, 17; larceny, 1; assault, 3; malicious injury to property, 4; vagrancy, 1; safekeeping, 2; using obscene language, 1; vioation of bailiff's regulations, 1; unsound mind, 1; supplying liquor to Indians, 2; Indians in possession of intoxicant, 1; and infraction of medical act, 1.

—Banish dull care by using Adams' Tutti Frutti. It aids digestion and gives tone to the system. Refuse imitations.

—The customs returns for the month of August were:

Duties collected	$56,705 74
Other revenues	3,273 79
Total	$60,039 53

IMPORTS.

Dutiable	$164,086
Free	42,688
Total	$106,774

EXPORTS.

Produce of Canada	$137,300
Not produce of Canada	10,471
Total	$147,770

When?

Your husband will notice a great improvement in your cooking, *when*

You use COTTOLENE

Your house will not be filled with the odor of hot lard, *when*

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Your doctor will lose some of his Dyspepsia cases, *when*

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Your children can safely eat the same food as yourself, *when*

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MONTREAL.

NOTICE.

Blanchard Street, between Pandora and Chatham Streets, will be closed till further order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
City Hall, Victoria, Aug. 26, 1895.

NOTICE

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Victoria, Aug. 8th.—tf

NOTICE.

Take notice that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners as a Licensing Court, in and for the City of Victoria, I inteqd to apply for a transfer of my retail liquor license for the "Nickel Plate" Saloon, Government Street, to Mr. Jacob Hasenfratz, of this city, to be held with respect to the same saloon.

Dated Victoria, B.C., the 2nd August, 1895. JOHN. P. SCHMIDT.

A good Stand-by
In Sickness and Health is
JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF
Always keep some in the house IT STRENGTHENS.

MUNICIPAL.

NO. 249.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. Section 45 of the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894, and the forms "C" and "D" in the said section referred to, and contained in the schedule to the said By-Law, are hereby repealed, and the said By-Law shall in all other respects remain in force and be read as if the said section 45 and the said forms "C" and "D" therein referred to had not originally been inserted in the said By-Law.

2. The following Section shall be inserted in lieu of Section 45 so repealed in said By-Law:

"45. Every application for permission to inter the body of any person shall be accompanied by a certificate of a duly qualified medical practitioner setting forth clearly his opinion as to the cause of death."

3. This By-Law may be cited as the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894, Amendment By-Law, 1895.

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of August, 1895.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council the 19th day of August, 1895.

(L.S) JOHN TEAGUE,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1895, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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Proposed Local Improvement.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the Municipal Act, 1892, and Amending Acts, and By-laws made thereunder, the Corporation of the City of Victoria propose to lay a pavement of wooden blocks upon a concrete foundation on the streets or portions of streets particularly hereunder mentioned, in the City of Victoria, and to assess the cost thereof against the property fronting thereon.

STREETS OR PORTIONS THEREOF PROPOSED SO TO BE PAVED.

View Street, from Broad Street to Douglas Street;
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ASSESSMENT PROPOSED TO BE LEVIED THEREFOR.

View Street, $7.00 per foot frontage;
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divided into ten equal annual payments of interest and sinking fund.

The report of the City Engineer and City Assessor in connection with such proposed improvement and the assessment therefor upon particular lots is open for the inspection of any person at the office of the Assessor, City Hall.

Unless a Petition against such assessment by the owners of the real property, (fronting upon the streets or portions thereof proposed to be so improved), representing at least one half in value thereof, be sent to the said Council within fifteen days after publication of this notice such proposed improvement will be made as aforesaid.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
Victoria, B. C., 21st August, 1895.

NOTICE

Pandora street between Douglas and Blanchard street is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
July 9, 1895.

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that King's Road, between First St. and School alley is closed until further notice.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
Victoria, Aug. 28, 1895. au2

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au3-tf City Engineer.

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NOTICE.

Birdcage Walk, between Michigan Street and the east entrance of the Government grounds, is closed to public traffic.

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Victoria, Aug. 29, 1895. au29-tf

$25.00 REWARD.

The above reward is hereby offered for such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons tampering or interfering in any way with any manhole, ventilator, flush tank, or other part of the sewerage system of the City of Victoria, or causing any impediment or obstruction to the proper and effective operation of any portion of the said system, except when acting under instructions from the City Engineer or Sanitary Officer.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
Victoria, B.C., August 1st, 1895.

$10 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other, in the City of Victoria, or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto, or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises, or defacing injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.

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C.M.C.
Victoria, B.C., March 20th, 1895.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20, and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-Law, 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In the North Ward on Mondays and Thursdays.
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If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforced.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.
Water Commissioner's Office,
14th May, 1895. m17

Notice in Respect to Thistles.

The attention of persons interested is hereby drawn to sections 3 and 5 of the Consolidated Thistle By-Law, which read as follows, viz.:

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The said persons are also respectfully informed that this is the only notification they will receive in regard to this matter.

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There is in Alberni district a quantity of excellent land belonging to the E. & N. railway company, which, if opened up for settlement, would provide comfortable homes for those who would work the same. There is an almost unlimited quantity of excellent timber in the vicinity of the Alberni Canal and Somas river, which, with the revival of the lumber trade, will prove a source of wealth. Alberni, rich in mining, lumbering and agricultural resources, possessing an excellent harbor and a delightful climate, offering every inducement to the Nimrod and the disciple of Isaak Walton, has every promise of a bright future.

D. ROSS,
Times Travelling Correspondent.

CURRENT HISTORY.

Larger and better than ever, Current History of the second quarter of 1895 has appeared. In every respect its standard of carefulness of compilation, attractiveness of treatment, editorial impartiality, and breadth of view, is fully maintained. The present number begins with an article on argon and its discoverers, giving in full the history of the investigations of Lord Rayleigh and Prof. Ramsay, a summary of all that is yet known of the new constituent of the atmosphere, illustrated with portraits of the discoverers, drawings of apparatus, and photographs of the spectra of argon. To teachers and scientists this article alone is well worth the price of a year's subscription. The income tax decision of the United States supreme court is fully treated in all its bearings. The complicated issues of the silver problem are clearly presented, so that the reader can readily get a clear idea of how the parties stand on this vexed question. The Japan-China war, the British occupation of Corinto, the outrages upon Christians in Armenia, the Manitoba school question, the fall of the Rosebery ministry, the opening of the Kaiser Wilhelm canal, relief of Chitral in British India, the latest scientific inventions and discoveries, and hundreds of other topics connected with politics, municipal reform, labor developments, temperance, etc., in the United States and all other countries in the world, also receive concise and adequate treatment. The frontispiece is a portrait of Lord Rayleigh; while the portrait of Prof. Ramsay and 36 other celebrities also appear. (Buffalo, N. Y., Garretson, Cox & Co. $1.50 a year; single numbers, 40 cents; sample copy, 10 cents; specimen pages free.)

—No appetite? Then do not try to force food down; but use the most scientific means for restoring tone to the stomach. How? Why, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and in a surprisingly short time your appetite will come again, and come to stay.

—The fruit season is not over yet. If you are wanting fruit jars, or any preserving utensils, you can get all you want at Weiler Bros.

ROUND-THE-WORLD TRAFFIC.

Huntington's Scheme of Competition With the Canadian Pacific.

New York, Sept. 2.—The biggest kind of railroad combination has just been perfected to wrest from the Canadian Pacific railroad and the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company and its connections the round-the-world business which is now controlled by the latter. This scheme to get control of this traffic was, it it said, evolved by Collis P. Huntington, president of the Southern Pacific railroad. It is nothing less than a combination of all the trunk lines in the United States with the principal passenger steamship lines, the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company and the Pacific Mail Steamship Company to handle round-the-world business in joint competition against the Canadian Pacific Railway and Steamship Company. While the travel under Mr. Huntington's plan is divided between the railroads, the transatlantic and the Baltimore and Ohio lines, the entire round-the-world traffic is concentrated, when it comes to crossing the Pacific, to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's boats. Mr. Huntington is heavily interested in the latter company.

A few days ago under the plan which has been agreed upon by all railroad and steamship lines interested, round-the-world tickets were placed on sale at all the principal cities in this country and Europe. It is now possible for one to purchase a coupon ticket in New York or any other city which will be good over any of the big transatlantic steamship lines. The parties to this scheme expect to take away from the Canadian Pacific a good deal of their business.

—The arrests made by the city police during August were as follows: Drunks, 21; infraction of city by-laws, 17; larceny, 1; assault, 3; malicious injury to property, 4; vagrancy, 1; safekeeping, 2; using obscene language, 1; vioation of bailiff's regulations, 1; unsound mind, 1; supplying liquor to Indians, 2; Indians in possession of intoxicant, 1; and infraction of medical act, 1.

—Banish dull care by using Adams' Tutti Frutti. It aids digestion and gives tone to the system. Refuse imitations.

—The customs returns for the month of August were:

Duties collected	$56,705 74
Other revenues	3,273 79
Total	$90,939 53
IMPORTS.	
Dutiable	$164,086
Free	32,688
Total	$196,774
EXPORTS.	
Produce of Canada	$137,280
Not produce of Canada	10,471
Total	$147,770

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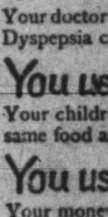

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NOTICE

Blanchard Street, between Pandora and Chatham Streets, will be closed till further order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

City Hall, Victoria, Aug. 20, 1895.

NOTICE

Birdcage Walk, between Belleville and Superior Streets, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, Aug. 8th.—tf

NOTICE.

Take notice that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners as a Licensing Court, in and for the City of Victoria, I intend to apply for a transfer of my retail liquor license for the "Nickel Plate" Saloon, Government Street, to Mr. Jacob Hasenfratz, of this city, to be held with respect to the same saloon.

Dated Victoria, B.C., the 2nd August, 1895. JOHN P. SCHMIDT.

A good Stand-by
In Sickness and Health is
JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF

Always keep some in the house IT STRENGTHENS.

MUNICIPAL.

NO. 249.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. Section 45 of the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894, and the forms "C" and "D" in the said section referred to, and contained in the schedule to the said By-Law, are hereby repealed, and the said By-Law shall in all other respects remain in force and be read as if the said section 45 and the said forms "C" and "D" therein referred to had not originally been inserted in the said By-Law.

2. The following Section shall be inserted in lieu of Section 45 so repealed in said By-Law:

"45. Every application for permission to inter the body of any person shall be accompanied by a certificate of a duly qualified medical practitioner setting forth clearly his opinion as to the cause of death."

3. This By-Law may be cited as the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894, Amendment By-Law, 1895.

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of August, 1895.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council the 19th day of August, 1895.

(L.S.) JOHN TEAGUE,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1895, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

Proposed Local Improvement.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the Municipal Act, 1892, and Amending Acts, and By-laws made thereunder, the Corporation of the City of Victoria propose to lay a pavement of wooden blocks upon a concrete foundation on the streets or portions of streets particularly hereunder mentioned, in the City of Victoria, and to assess the cost thereof against the property fronting thereon.

STREETS OR PORTIONS THEREOF PROPOSED SO TO BE PAVED.

View Street, from Broad Street to Douglas Street;

Broad Street, from Fort Street to Yates Street;

Government Street, from Broughton Street to Johnson Street;

Yates Street, from Douglas Street to Wharf Street;

Fort Street, from Government Street to Douglas Street.

ASSESSMENT PROPOSED TO BE LEVIED THEREFOR.

View Street, $7.00 per foot frontage;
Broad Street, $8.00 per foot frontage.
Government Street, $10.50 per foot frontage;
Yates Street, $10.50 per foot frontage;
Fort Street, $11.50 per foot frontage;

divided into ten equal annual payments of interest and sinking fund.

The report of the City Engineer and City Assessor in connection with such proposed improvement and the assessment therefor upon particular lots is open for the inspection of any person at the office of the Assessor, City Hall.

Unless a Petition against such assessment by the owners of the real property, (fronting upon the streets or portions thereof proposed to be so improved), representing at least one half in value thereof, be sent to the said Council within fifteen days after publication of this notice such proposed improvement will be made as aforesaid.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., 21st August, 1895.

NOTICE

Pandora street between Douglas and Blanchard street is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

July 9, 1895.

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that King's Road, between First St. and School alley is closed until further notice.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, Aug. 28, 1895. au2

NOTICE

Menzies Street, between Belleville Street and Superior Street is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

au3-tf

NOTICE

Belleville Street, between McClure Street and Menzies Street, is closed to Public Traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

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NOTICE.

Birdcage Walk, between Michigan Street and the east entrance of the Government grounds, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, Aug. 29, 1895. au28-tf

$25.00 REWARD.

The above reward is hereby offered for such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons tampering or interfering in any way with any manhole, ventilator, flush tank, or other part of the sewerage system of the City of Victoria, or causing any impediment or obstruction to the proper and effective operation of any portion of the said system, except when acting under instructions from the City Engineer or Sanitary Officer.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B.C., August 1st, 1895.

$10 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other, in the City of Victoria, or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto, or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises, or defacing injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, B.C., March 20th, 1895.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20, and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-Law, 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In the North Ward on Mondays and Thursdays.
In the Central Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays.
In the South Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforced.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
14th May, 1895. m17

Notice in Respect to Thistles.

The attention of persons interested is hereby drawn to sections 3 and 5 of the Consolidated Thistle By-Law, which read as follows, viz.:

"3. Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee, of any land, shall cut or cause to be cut down, all thistles growing upon such land before such thistles have gone to seed or come to flower."

"5. Every person convicted of an infraction of the by-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars."

The said persons are also respectfully informed that this is the only notification they will receive in regard to this matter.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., June 25th, 1895.

ARCHITECTS.

JNO. TEAGUE, ARCHITECT.
Has removed to new offices, corner Broad street and Trounce avenue.

VETERINARY.

S. F. TOLMIE, VETERINARY SURGEON,
Graduate Ont. Vet. Col., Member Ont. Vet. Med. Soc. (Late with Dr. John Wende, V.S., Buffalo, N.Y.) Office at Bray's Livery, 104 Johnson street. Telephone 182; residence telephone 417, Victoria, B. C.

SCAVENGERS.

PETER HANSES, CITY SCAVENGER. Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders, and prices reasonable. Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets. Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. Telephone 184.

JULIUS WEST, GENERAL SCAVENGER, successor to John Dougherty. Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, will be promptly attended to. Residence, 50 Vancouver St.

SOCIETIES.

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of the Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE,
No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. LOFTUS BROWN, secretary.

ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN
Society meets in their own Hall, Blanchard Street, on the first Friday of every month. All scotchmen are invited to join.
E. C. SMITH, Sec.

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WANTS.

WANTED—A Girl or Middle-aged Woman, for general house work. Apply 178 Yates Street. au29-tf

WANTED—Furnished cottage, by reliable party no children; state locality and rent. Address A. H., Times office. aug27-1w

WANTED—An honest, active gentleman or lady to travel for reliable established house; salary $780, payable $65 weekly and expenses; situation permanent; references; enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, 316 Omaha Building, Chicago. aug15-30t

WANTED—Cash customers to buy tools of all kinds. Shore's hardware, 57 Johnson street.

WANTED HELP—Reliable men in every locality (local or travelling) to introduce a new discovery and keep our show cards tacked up on trees, fences and bridges throughout town and country. Steady employment. Commission or salary $65 per month and expenses, and money deposited in any bank when started. For particulars write The World Med. Electric Co., P.O Box 221, London, Ont., Canada. je17-3m-d&w

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TO LET, LEASE OR SELL—The Alderica Hotel at Duncan's Station, furnished and in full running order. Apply on the premises to the owner, W. Beaumont. 17-1m

TO LET.—Pretty cottage, five rooms and bath. Apply to Skene Lowe, 45 Carr St. may27-tf

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LOST—An Irish terrier dog; smooth haired. Any one returning same to 20 Bastion street will be rewarded. aug.27-1w

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FROM A FRIEND.

Registrar Prevost's case has been paralleled by that of Registrar Falding and it is not to be wondered at that people should be found asking: "Who'll be the next?" In referring to the former case the Times gave the opinion that too much of the public business was carried on in the loose way which prevailed in the Supreme Court registry, an opinion which is amply confirmed by the later developments. Some friends of the government concur with this view, a fact shown by the following remarks from the Vancouver World, which would not condemn the administration without very strong cause:

"The escapades of no less than four of the officials of the province within the last few weeks have demonstrated the fact that there is something radically wrong with the system under which the matters entrusted to their charge have been administered. First we had the announcement concerning a couple of Government officials at Donald whose accounts, upon investigation, were found to be irregular—in fact there was a considerable shortage with each, made good, however, by the bonds furnished the government. Next came the intelligence that the registrar of the court at Victoria, J. C. Prevost, who was entrusted with large sums of money, has mysteriously disappeared. It now turns out that his affairs are in a deplorable tangle. It is alleged that for some time past and the life he led and the business methods he employed were such as should have created a suspicion that all was not as it should be. A regular investigation ought to have been at once instituted, then it would have been seen whether he was flying "kites," or dealing with his own funds. The news is announced to-day that W. H. Falding, of New Westminster, occupying a similar position to that of Mr. Prevost, has not been at his accustomed place of business for the past few days and all sorts of rumors are in circulation concerning his disappearance. His friends are not at all sanguine of his return. The provincial auditor, J. McB. Smith, came over from the capital this morning and doubtless will go through the books in order to ascertain the extent of the reported irregularities. The frequency of these incidents and the necessity that exists for having the transactions of the government, which after all are those of the people, carried on properly is evident and there is a suspicion that others may have been doing the same kind of thing. This may be wrong, and the innocent thereby made to suffer. To our mind the whole system is based upon a wrong fabric, and the sooner such changes are made by the government as will place its officials, no matter what position they occupy, beyond the possibility of doing wrong, or if guilty, that the country does not suffer thereby, the sooner will the public have confidence in the fidelity of those who are paid good wages and have fat billets to fulfil their duties.

"It may be observed that a number of highly paid officials, in the employ of the government, are neither qualified by education nor business instincts to be there. These are practically withering branches of a healthy tree. The affairs of the country should and must be, conducted upon purely business principles. Favoritism, nepotism, sympathy and such like should not be tolerated in such a province as ours, where there are to be found so many clever and capable men, aye, and women who would only be too willing to be allowed an opportunity to display their ability to so conduct themselves and the responsibilities devolving upon them that the country would be a large gainer. Now is the time for the government to apply the pruning knife without fear or favor. More real talent and less blue blood is what British Columbia needs."

We should like to see the government profit by this candid criticism from a friend and introduce businesslike methods into all departments of the public business. At the same time we cannot feel any too hopeful of this desirable change being effected; it is hard for the leopard to change its spots.

The full returns from Westmoreland give the Conservative candidate a majority of 694, which is 1,454 less than the Conservative majority was in 1891. It seems that the Conservative vote this year was about 550 less than four years ago, and that the Liberal vote was increased by about 950, the greater part of this being in the English part of the county.

The Hamilton Spectator, a staunch Conservative paper, says "the result of the Westmoreland election cannot be encouraging to Sir Mackenzie Bowell. Will he accept the verdict of Vercheres, Antigonish and Westmoreland, and abandon his attempt to coerce Manitoba, or will go on in spite of all warnings?" In the same issue the Spectator's editor publishes the following open letter: "Sir Mackenzie Bowell—Dear Sir: If you lose 1,400 majority in every constituency in Canada, your friend Laurier will have the biggest majority on record."

The London correspondent of the American Economist shows in a letter how great is the competitive power of Japan as a manufacturer of cotton cloth and yarn. Japan has now over forty spinning mills all managed by able natives and having the latest and best machinery. These forty mills are furnished with over 340,000 spindles, and they are running night and day. The number of natives required to keep one thousand spindles going for twenty-four hours is 72.36, the production under these conditions being 832 pounds. Japanese "mule" spinners work for 50 to 75 cents per week, and "ring" spinners for 30 to 40 cents. The correspondent says these conditions will make Japan a formidable competitor with England in the cotton manufacturing business, but we should think other countries besides England would find the competition formidable. What sort of a duty would keep out of Canada and the United States the cotton manufactures by men who work for 75 cents per week?

SEWER PIPE CONTRACT.

To the Editor:—Had it not been so hysterical, the prating of the Daily Grandmother in its issue of last Saturday, about encouraging native industry, it would have been intensely amusing. As it was, however, tears of rage and disappointment were apparent in every line. The letting of the contract in question to Mr. Keller must have struck the Potery and its friends in a very vital spot to call forth such an unwarrantable attack both upon that honorable body, the City Council, and upon one of our most enterprising ratepayers.

To say the least, it is bad form for the present owners of the Pottery to raise such an outcry because they were beaten—and that fairly. The deal was a square one, and the city will get full value for its money, and will not lose as much of it as the "leading article" in question would wish to make it appear.

If the Grandmother is so anxious to patronise "native industry," why does it never lift its voice against the Dominion Government for purchasing such large bills of machinery in foreign countries? Why does it support by fair means or foul the avowed champions of Chinese labor? Did it say anything in condemnation of the building of the Quadra in a foreign country? Or has it in any way deprecated the purchase of the steel and iron work for both the new postoffice and government buildings? Or did it object when the postoffice contract was given to an Ottawa man? Did it raise its voice against the employment of Americans on the government buildings? or did it object to the admission of American architects to that competition? Or the appointment of several Americans to government positions. What was its attitude toward the manufacture locally of Portland cement or linseed oil. Did it prefer to boom fakes rather than honest enterprises?

These are a few questions to which more than one ratepayer would be delighted to have an answer—providing it be the truth.

In conclusion, permit me to remark that any man fairly beaten in business by his competitor should have sufficient manliness not to cry out and tell his Grandma about it.

It is not true that the British Columbia Pottery & Terra Cotta Company, Limited Liability, (in liquidation), has either a mortgage or a dead cinch on the city work. PETROPAULOVSKY.
Victoria, September 2nd.

THE CENSOR IN RUSSIA.

The Gentleman's Vagaries are Very Hard to Dodge.

Prof. Nikliticuko's Memoirs are likely to be interesting. He was formerly at the St. Petersburg University, and gives some account of the ways of the censor in Russia. The censor once sent for the writer of a dream-book, and asked him why he believed that the stars had an influence on men's lives. As the author could give no satisfactory explanation, the book was condemned. The censor Jelagoff ordered that a passage in a book on Siberia, stating that dogs were used in that country for dragging carts, must be cut out, "because this statement had not yet been endorsed by the government." Some years ago there was a cattle-show at Warsaw, and a Polish paper spoke about the Mecklenburg cows to be seen there.

"It would be better if you said Spanish," said the censor.

"May I ask why?"

"Don't try to humbug me, sir. You were thinking of the Grand Dukes of Mekenburg when you wrote that, and —they are related to our dynasty."

Paintings also are subject to censorship. The painter Alchimovicz painted a picture called "Advice from the Landlord," in which some peasants were represented going to the lord of the knout. The censor said, "Peasants must not ask advice of their landlord, but get it from a government official." When Alchimovicz called his picture "Engaging Laborers" he was allowed to exhibit it. —The Realm.

HISTORY OF A RELIC.

The Body of a Peruvian Fisherman Found, with Important Documents.

On the top floor of the American Museum of Natural History Prof. I. W. Putnam of Harvard University, and ethnologist also to the museum, has set out in five cases some wonderful exhibits illustrating the life of the Peruvians at the time and before they were conquered by the Spaniards.

Adolph F. Baudelier, who has made a life study of the history of the Aztecs, Pueblos and kindred tribes, says the New York Tribune, is working for the museum in Peru, and the present exhibit is the first installment of his valuable discoveries.

The aboriginal Peruvian buried his dead with all his belongings. The body was placed in a sack in a sitting position, with the head resting on the bent-up knees, then all around him were placed his clothes, his poncho, the implements of his trade, corn and earthen vessels probably filled with pulque, so that he could have a fair start in the new land he had journeyed to.

The first exhibit one comes to is exceedingly interesting. There is a grewsome mummy all bent up at the bottom of the case, lying on the cotton cloths that 300 years ago were buried with him. They are as good to-day as when the man was placed in the nitrate fields of Arica. In this man's coffin sack was found a papal indulgence dated 1578 and signed by the licentiate, Pedro de Velarde. The man was undoubtedly a fisherman, for around him were found fishing lines, hooks, a harpoon with a chalcedony point and a flint knife fixed to a handle covered with cloth. Then there are bags with all sorts of condiments, a supply of cocoa leaves and some ears of corn. Besides these there was buried with the man a bag evidently made of European cloth, containing thread, needles and a brass thimble.

Mr. Baudelier, who is at present in the interior of Peru, in writing to Professor Putnam, says with regard to the documents found with this Peruvian fisherman: "I thank you sincerely for the kind transmittal of the photographic copy of the print found with the mummy at Arica. I know that kind of document very well, having worked for many years, as probably you know, on the colonial history of Spanish America. It is a proclamation of indulgence, signed by the licentiate, Pedro de Velarde, and based upon the papal bulls of the crusades. The bulls, especially after the battle of Lepanto, tendered special favors to such as would either in person or in money assist in resisting the Ottomans in their attack upon Christendom. Its date being 1578 indicates that the man was buried about that time."

A curious feature of these mummy bags is that; though a body is in each sack, a false head most rudely made in silver and copper or wood was placed on top of the sack. Several of these heads are on exhibition at the museum, with one actually in place on top of a sack containing a defunct Peruvian.

NEW WAY TO PURIFY WATER.

Chemicals Said To Be Superior To Either Boiling or Filtering.

According to Dr. Dupont, a physician of Paris, writing in the Annales d'Hygiene Publique, a safe and effective method of purifying water by chemical action has been discovered. Dr. Dupont notes that hitherto the methods of purifying drinking water have been by filtration and the action of heat. Filtration is the oldest and least effective method. Even filtration through porous porcelain, the most effective substance known, cannot always be trusted, especially after the apparatus has been long in use. Dr. Dupont does not assert that boiling fails to destroy noxious germs, but he says that it often leaves in the water organic matter that might be dangerous to health, and that boiling makes water less digestible by robbing it of its gases. He instances a case in which water from the Seine has been found after boiling to contain more microbes than before.

M. Girard, director of the Municipal Laboratory of Paris, and Dr. Bordas, a pupil of Prof. Brouardel, have recently

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presented to the Academy of Sciences, through the chemist, Friedel, a communication on the purification of water by chemical action. The chemicals used are permaganate of lime and binoxide of manganese. The permaganate of lime, coming in contact with organic matter and micro-organisms, destroys them and decomposes itself into oxygen, oxide of manganese, and lime. Then, to carry off the surplus of permaganate and complete the purification the water is poured over binoxide of manganese. Oxygen in the nascent state is thus freed, and it burns up any remaining germs. There remain then in the apparatus inferior oxides of manganese, which hasten to reoxidize themselves and furnish again a certain quantity of binoxide of manganese. The water, as thus finally purified, contains a little lime in the form of bicarbonate and traces of oxygenated water.

A very small quantity of permaganate of lime is used in this process. Not more than 1.3 grains Troy to about a quart of water taken from the Seine at a point near Paris resulted in the production of a perfectly pure water, as wholesome as spring water. Dr. Dupont says that if the process can be made successful on a large scale the question of purifying water is settled. Water containing 100,000 colonies of microbes per cubic centimetre can thus be purified, and ice placed in water with permaganate of lime is also quickly sterilized.

TWO DOLLARS A WEEK.

The Wages of a Clerk in London who Has Charge of Money.

Two well-dressed youths named William Hugh Storey, aged eighteen, and Charles Peter Clunie, twenty, were charged at the Marleybone Police Court, according to the London Graphic, on a warrant, with being concerned in stealing on May 10 the sum of £265, belonging to their late employers, Messrs. Marshall & Snelgrove, of Oxford street.

The evidence was of a somewhat remarkable character. Both prisoners were bosom friends, and were employed as junior clerks. On the morning of May 10th George Holt, senior cashier, handed Storey a sum of £200 to check, and then he left the office, leaving some £65 10s. lying upon the desk. When he returned a few minutes later the office was empty and the whole of the money missing. Every effort was exerted to find Storey, but without success, and, as a last resource, the police were communicated with.

When interviewed by Inspector Arrow and Sergeant Barton, the prisoner Clunie admitted that he was aware that Storey had conceived plans whereby he could obtain a sum of money and avoid capture. The same week Clunie gave notice to his employers and left on the Saturday. The police continued to prosecute their inquiries, and as a result Sergeant Barton attended the Sandown Park races. There he met both the prisoners and took them into custody. Upon Clunie was found £2 7s., and upon Storey was found £8 4s. 2½d., the money being wrapped up in bars identical with those used by Messrs. Marshal.

In the train, on the way to London, Clunie told the sergeant that they had been looking out for him at all the race meetings, and were just speaking about him when he arrested them. They had not, he added, thrown the money away; they had enjoyed themselves, and the only regret they had was that they had lost about £140 on horse racing during the last four or five days. During the hearing of the evidence the prisoners seemed to be wholly unconcerned and indifferent, and when called upon to plead merely replied, "I am guilty."

Pressed for an explanation, Storey said he had worked for the firm for nearly five years, and during the latter portion of his time money varying from £2,000 to £8,000 had passed through his hands, but all the remuneration he received was 7s. 6d. to 30s. a week and food and lodgings.

Mr. Bennett, in passing sentence of six months' hard labor on each of the prisoners, said that he did not credit the aspersions cast upon Messrs. Marshall, who were renowned for their kind and considerate treatment of their employes.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—The total loss by fire during August was $1,226.

—The Provincial Premier will be asked to formally open the exhibition on Sept. 16.

—The members of St. John's Sunday school and their friends picnicked at Sidney on Saturday.

—The Dominion Government steamer Quadra returned on Saturday from a tour of the lighthouses.

—The Cowichan Indians are erecting another wier across a branch of the river a mile below the railway bridge.

—Mr. Welsh of the Shawnigan Lake sawmill and Miss Minnie Hooper were married on Saturday by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge.

—Mr. and Mrs. Watson are mourning the loss of their infant son, William Albert Murray, who died this morning after a brief illness. The date of the funeral will be duly announced.

—General Secretary Carter, of the Y. M. C. A., desires to notify the supporters and members that the collector will call on them this month a little earlier than usual as the association year closes on the 15th, and they are anxious to square up the current liabilities before that date. Any friends who have not yet subscribed to the support of the work and are willing to help are cordially invited to render a little financial assistance at this time.

—In accordance with the recommendation of the Presbyterian synod of British Columbia, the Sunday school committee has decided to hold a convention in the lecture hall of St. Andrew's church, Vancouver, on Wednesday and Thursday, September 4th and 5th, at 9:30 a.m. Each school is entitled to send three delegates, and an additional one for every 25 scholars over 50 enrolled. While this basis of representation is suggested, all workers will be welcomed. Pastors and superintendents are members of the convention ex-officio.

—Col. A. G. Brownlee, of Chicago, managing director of the Chicago and Montana Mining Company, is here on a visit to his brother, J. H. Brownlee. Col. Brownlee is largely interested in the Boundary Creek district, west of Rossland, and has done much to make West Kootenay known to Chicago investors. His exhibits of British Columbia ores at the World's Fair attracted considerable attention, and as many valuable specimens have since been added, his office in the Commerce building, Chicago, presents the finest collection of British Columbia ores in any American city.

—On account of the large increase of business between Victoria and the West Coast points the C. P. N. Company have placed the old steamer Princess Louise on the route in place of the Maude. The Louise starts tonight on her first trip, and will take an immense load of freight, consisting of general merchandise and building material. A number of families go down to take up their homes on the coast. Trade along the coast has picked up wonderfully during the past few months, and the steamers carry full loads every trip. The Danube, which goes North to-night, also has a big cargo of general merchandise, and, like the Louise, has a deck load of building material.

—The following paragraph from the World shows that Vancouver is not always free from waterworks troubles: "It is useless to attempt to disguise the fact that the condition of the waterworks lately has been anything but satisfactory. No one may be to blame, but the fact remains that thousands of people have been annoyed and inconvenienced and the health, yea the very existence of the city, has been jeopardized. Accident after accident happening to the old mains threw the draw of the city service on the reservoir and the water that came therefrom was rank and smelled to heaven. Having boasted so much about Vancouver's water supply people who have had visitors during the past few days have not offered them any of it to drink. The presure has been miserable for days, and last night, without notice, it was shut off altogether. To-day it is back to 55 lbs., one of the mains having been repaired. Maybe, when the three mains have been got going and the reservoir, having been emptied, is cleaned out, the service and the flavor will both be better."

—The Y. M. I. excursion to Sidney today was well patronized. The train leaving at 1.30 was well filled and it is expected that many more will go out on the train which leaves at 7.30.

—Uniform Rank, K. of P., will hold their social dance on Wednesday, Sept. 4th, at Castle Hall, Broad street, dancing to commence at 8 o'clock. Sir Knights are requested to attend in fatigue dress. Richardson's orchestra will furnish the music. Bush & Gerts' piano in use.

—The steamer Sehome did not arrive from the Sound until 5 o'clock this morning, having been delayed in various ways. She sailed again at 8:30 o'clock and will be in time to-morrow as she has ample time to catch up. The repairs to the Kingston are taking longer than was expected, and it will be fully another week before she will be out. Her first trip will very likely be made on Tuesday next.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Jubilee Hospital will give a band concert and garden fete at the home of Mrs. A. J. Smith, 36 Superior street, on Wednesday evening. The motto of the Auxiliary is "In faith and hope the world will disagree, but all mankind's concern is charity," and the members by their faithful work in that cause make it a truism. The band concert will begin at 8, and Leader Finn has prepared the following programme:

1 March.... "My own Canadian Home" ....McLaughlin.
2 Overture.... "Poet and Peasant" Suppe.
3 Waltzes.... "Over the Waves" ..Rosas.
4 Solo for Cornet.. "Blue Bells of Scotland" ....(with variations) ....Hartmann.
WALTER NORTH, soloist.
4 Patrol.... ....."British"..... ....Asch
Intermission of 10 minutes
6 Grand Selection "Melodies of Scotland" Bonnisseaw. In honor of the Earl and Countess of Aberdeen.
7 "The Postillion In the Woods" Schaeffer. Descriptive Piece.
8 Solo for Clarionet...."Comin' Thro' the Rye" ....Thornton.
Mr J. F. Rausch, soloist.
9 "A Hunting Scene" ....Bucalossi. (Descriptive of a Fox Hunt)
10 Two Step ...."The Brownies Parade" ....Clarry.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

The house will be thrown open for the accommodation of parties not wishing to stay outside.

—Sidney picnic grove continues to be one of the principal points of attraction for a short outing. The place is admirably situated for the purpose, being on the sea shore at Sidney, close to the railway station—the terminus of the Victoria and Sidney railway. The line has been well patronized during the season. On Saturday last the trains brought from Victoria from 400 to 500 young and old to the picnic grounds, where all enjoyed themselves greatly. The young bear on exhibition was much admired, and the numerous swings distributed amongst the shady trees were well patronized. For those who required hotel accommodation, Messrs. Norris & Jackson, of the Sidney house, afforded every convenience. The steamer Mary Hare was on hand. Captain Hare is giving her a thorough overhauling. The hull is painted black and the upper works white, which with the black smokestack, give the craft a smart and comfortable appearance. The trade of the steamer is increasing, and the accommodation afforded to the residents is becoming more appreciated as each week passes.

—The garden party given at Government House on Saturday afternoon by the Countess of Aberdeen was a very pleasant affair. The arrangements were admirable and the many guests present thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The Countess received on the terrace at the side of the house, where the guests were presented by Lt.-Col. Prior, A. D. C. All were most warmly welcomed and bidden to enjoy the proffered hospitality to the fullest extent. Lord Aberdeen moved about and assisted in the entertainment, as did the younger members of the family. The latter took an especial interest in the children present and made the afternoon enjoyable for them with all manner of games. The grounds were admirably arranged for the reception and entertainment of the guests, seats being placed under the trees and in shady corners. During the afternoon the Arion club rendered several songs at the request of Lord Aberneen. The band of H. M. S. Royal Arthur played some of its best selections. The guests included His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney, Rear Admiral Stephenson and other prominent people.

—On Saturday evening at the Chinese Girls' Home a large number of the Chinese Mission boys, with Mr. Chan, their missionary, assembled to say farewell to their tried and true friend and cheerful Christian helper, Mrs. Morrow, who is about to leave Victoria for her son's home in Washington, D. C., after having charge of the home for three years. After singing in English and Chinese, an address betokening the brightest appreciation of the character, merit and service of the retiring lady was read and presented to Mrs. Morrow, also some pretty tangible tokens of esteem, among which were a handsome gold pin with Chinese characters, the English of which is "Everlasting Life," and a beautiful ring expressing perpetual friendship. Short addresses were given by Mr. Cran, five or six of the mission young men, Mrs. Rednor, of the Fort Simpson Girls' Home, Miss Wicket, the teacher, and Miss Bowes, who is about to asume charge of the home. Mrs. Morrow expressed her grateful thanks for the many expressions of kindness and thoughtful consideration from the mission, in whose continued prosperity, as also of the home, she would ever be interested. After light refreshments, served by Mrs. Morrow, and the singing of "God be with you till we meet again," followed by prayer, a cordial handshaking brought the evening to a close.—Com.

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John Claussen Assaults Mrs. Lange, Wife of the Douglas St. Jeweler.

John Claussen, an elderly watchmaker and jeweler, was arrested last night charged with assaulting Mrs. Lange, wife of the Douglas street jeweler. The assault took place on Douglas street about 8 o'clock, and Claussen used a rather heavy walking stick, striking Mrs. Lange on the neck with it.

The assault is said to have been unexpected and unprovoked. There have been some differences in the past and considerable hard feelings on both sides. Claussen was given into custody of the police and was locked up to await trial. As there was no session of the city police court this morning the case went over until to-morrow morning.

A BRUTAL MURDER.

R. H. Straub Killed Leo Lanterman at Blakely Island Friday.

Blakely Island, which is just south of Orcas Island, was the scene of a most brutal murder on Friday evening. Leo Lanterman was shot and instantly killed by R. H. Staub, and Mrs. Burns, a sister of the murdered man, was badly wounded. Mrs. Burns, Lanterman, and their half brother, R. H. Blythe, were at work in a field when Straub and Irving Parberry came up. The former did not show himself until Parberry, by abusive language, provoked an attack upon himself, and then he came from his hiding place and opened fire. Lanterman fell mortally wounded, Blythe escaped several shots as he ran for the woods, and Mrs. Burns was struck at long range. Lanterman attempted to crawl from where he fell, but Straub followed him and fired two bullets into the prostrate form. There had been disputes between the principals over land and other matters, but the attack was unexpected and most cowardly. Lanterman and Blythe were unarmed.

Straub and Parberry went at once to Friday Harbor, the county seat of San Juan county, and gave themselves up. The greatest indignation is expressed at their terrible crime. Straub already bore a hard reputation. Straub is 53 years old, Parberry 17, Mrs. Burns 26, Blythe 16 and Lanterman was 23. All the men were farmers.

—Sequah had the A. O. U. W. Hall packed on Saturday night to hear his lecture on the habits and customs of the natives of British India. He graphically described their curious manners, mode of living, burial ceremony, etc. Another patient suffering from lumbago was treated and spoke highly of the relief he had obtained. A well known person, Mr. Kelly, testified to the good he had derived from the Sequah remedies. To-night Mr. Wallace Biddle will recite that renowned poem, "Mary, Queen of Scots." Sequah will give in costume a descriptive lecture of Burmah and the Burmese, together with an attractive programme from Finn's band. The evening should be an attractive one.

W. H. Falding, registrar of the Supreme Court at New Westminster, whose disappearance was first made public by the Times on Saturday evening, has not yet been arrested, but the police are close on his tracks. When he left New Westminster, on the same day that Prevost disappeared he went through to St Paul. The police located him, but before they could arrest him he had slipped away. Nothing new has turned up in the Prevost case. Supt. Hussey and his force are working hard to locate Prevost and Auditor Goepel is trying to get the books into shape so that he can find out just how much the defalcations will amount to.

—The alarm for fire at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon was for a small blaze on the roof of Muirhead & Mann's factory, the result of a spark from the smokestack. The employees of the mill are organized as a fire company and well drilled, and simultaneously with the sounding of the alarm for the department they laid a line of hose themselves. They virtually had the fire out when the firemen arrived, but the chemical did some work and a line of hose was run out. The damage will not amount to more than a few dollars.

—Alderlea Camp No. 65 Woodmen of the World, Canadian jurisdiction, was organized at Duncan's on Saturday night by Mr. D. Roche, district organizer. Twenty-five names have already ben placed on the charter. The officers elected are: Rev. J. C. Spencer, Consul Commander; Andrew Dirom, Post Commander; Chas. Bazett, Advisor Lieutenant; Christopher Dobson, Banker; Rev. Elihu Manuel, clerk; John Weismiller, watchman; Dr. Edward C. Foot, court physician; J. S. Shopland, Robt Grassal, Chas. T. Price, managers.

—Labor day is being generally observed in Victoria, especially by the workingmen and the officials in the government offices. Work on both the new Dominion and Provincial government buildings and other private works was stopped for the day. All the public offices and the banks were closed, and during the afternoon the wholesale firms and many of the retail stores closed their doors.

—An alarm of fire from Box 13 at 10.30 this morning took the fire department to Labouchere street, where a small blaze caused by a spark on the roof of the residence of Thomas Futcher received prompt attention and was speedily extinguished. Damage about $10.

—The steamer R. P. Rithet did not leave for New Westminster until seven this morning, having been delayed by the wind.

—The British Columbia Medical council's examination commences in Vancouver to-morrow.

—New line of pocket cutlery just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. Shaving outfits a specialty, guaranteed.

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TAXATION IN ITALY.

The State of the Country Is Going from Bad to Worse.

Is it wonderful that the people look back longingly to times when, if taxation was sometimes heavy, they had processions and pleasures provided off and on, which kept them gay and contented. Patience, which the church inculcated, has worn threadbare, and a settled gloom seems to brood over the city, which one has always been accustomed to consider the most light-hearted in Europe. Taxes and monopolies weigh heavier and heavier all over the country, and always heaviest on those who can least afford to bear it. Thus the government pays 2 centimes for each kilo of salt, and the poor pay 35 centimes. This is a country where farinaceous food is the staple of consumption, and where it ought to be as cheap as with us. In consequence, many never use salt, or else only rock salt, such as is used for cattle, as being cheaper.

Grants toward the development of "sport," such as racing, are given gladly by parliament, but a grant toward the stamping out of the dread disease of pellagra, which the want of salt accentuates, is begrudged altogether. By this shortsighted policy the population is depleted as much as by the emigration, of which so many complain. Hence the land, which is so fruitful that it can carry three crops at a time, and yields to crops of corn, lies partially or wholly untilled for lack of hands to till it, and Italy, the former supplier of corn to other nations, has to depend for her main supply on heavily taxed corn from outside. While, as if in bitter irony, the proposal was made to levy a tax on "terra incolte," that is, on land capable of cultivation, and yet for the above reasons not cultivated by the owner. The state of the country is, indeed, going from bad to worse as to the workers, for the Northerner goes off with child, wife, parents, and grandparents—a fact which of itself shows no intention to return; and, though the Southerner goes alone, it is only to prepare a place for the others to follow soon after.—Fortnightly Review.

—The following Victoria passengers per steamer Umatilla sailed this morning from San Francisco: Miss McKeown, Mrs. L. McLean, John McKeown, Miss Louise Holm, Miss Rumbold, Mr. Rumbold, Mrs. E. Croston, Miss Doran, H. Hughes, J. A. Stow and wife, Miss Walkem, Mrs. Walkem, Miss Ethel Earle, G. W. Anderson and wife, J. C. Pendleton.

—The concert at Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon by the B. C. B. G. A. band was greatly enjoyed by another large crowd. The programme was a very attractive one and "The Musical Critic's Dream" was the success of the afternoon. It was very well rendered by the band. The Sunday afternoon concerts have caught on wonderfully well with the public, and if the weather remains good there will be several more.

—Galvanized wire chicken fencing at cut prices. Shore's hardware.

PERSONAL.

L. P. Eckstein of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

Sir Joseph Trutch has returned from the Mainland.

R. E. Cooper returned last evening from Vancouver.

Miss Clancy returned home to Tacoma this morning.

Mrs Fraser has returned from a visit to California.

J. C. Maclure was a passenger from the Mainland yesterday.

Capt Lewis leaves this evening on a trip to the West Coast.

Mrs W. H. Whittaker of Kamloops, is visiting in the city.

Ross Munro and J. S. Floyd, leave for Alberni this evening.

J. A. Thomson, Inspector of Steamboats, has gone to Kootenay.

Prof. Prince, fisheries commissioner, left for the East yesterday.

Capt Clements of the Kingston, is spending a couple of days in the city.

Chas. B. Baxter of the C.P.N. company, returned from Vancouver last evening.

Lewis T. Watson, R A and Mrs Brooks, of Meltham, England, are guests at the Driard.

Mrs Rednor, Matron of the Girl's Home at Port Simpson, leaves for the North this evening.

Mrs. Osterbant, who has been visiting her parents, M. and Mrs Humber leaves for her home in the North this evening.

J. McNicholl, formerly of the C. P. R. ticket office in this city, has been appointed agent for the company at Whatcom, Wash.

J. H. Fullerton, Jos. Slater, R. Robinson and J. Harris, of the C.P.R., Pilot Ettershank and J. E. Fagan, of the Vancouver Custom House, are down to meet the Empress due from the Orient to-morrow.

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Per steamer Sehome from the Sound—Sept. 1st—G H Maynard, W Warden, Hudson Bay Co, Moore & Co, R P Rithet, H B Kirkpatrick, S Leiser, O Kerr & M P Co, Hastie & R Johnson, W J Pendray, Bank B C, C A Bossi, J B Taylor, Mrs Z Zanto, Mrs G Gubrick.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Charmer from Vancouver—Chas S Baxter, W Ettershanks, J A Fullerton, W Manson, R G Penn, J Harris, R Robinson, Jas Slater, R C Cooper, J G Maclure, W D McIntosh and wife, Thos Loring, Miss Ruth, A Boutier, G T Howitt, A E Westcott, M Smith, Herman Tufte, L P Eckstein, Thos Gray, C B Hoffman, Mrs Howell, Mrs S Bire, Miss E D Curry, P John, W Loring, Wm Jack, C B King, J H Hamilton, G H Johnston, Mrs Johnston, John Howard.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Ross Fornae, D Hewitt, A Stillman, E B Oxley, Miss Sinnett, Miss Murphy, D Monroe, J Magee, Miss Holmes, Robt Hoff, Miss Pike, J Ryan, W Cheeseman.

Mrs. Higbee—I think you had better go for the doctor, George. Johnny complains of pains in his head.

Higbee—I guess it is nothing serious. He has had them before."

Mrs. Higbee—Yes, but never on Saturday.

"And so you are married?" said Mrs. Keedick to her new boss the west.

"Yes, gentle."

"Joined for life, eh?"

"Oh, it's hardly that bad. I'm a Chinese girl, you know."

AFRICAN CANNIBALS.

Father Dubendorf Describes Hideous Scenes of Which He Was a Witness.

Story of a Raid by a Band of Semi-Civilized Natives on a Trading Station.

Father J. Dubendorf, superior of a Roman Catholic mission at Oniaski, on the Niger, 150 miles above its mouth, tells in a late issue of Le Correspondent of Paris an amazing story of mingled civilization and barbarism among the negroes near the mouth of the river. Father Dubendorf journeyed down the river by canoe some months ago along with Nathaniel, a negro boy of Brass, educated and christened at the mission. The Father and his companion were entertained at a Zenobian trading post six or eight hours from the native city of Brass, and there the King of Brass had a pirogue waiting, with the request that the lad be sent to visit his people.

Brass is one of the mouths of the Niger, not far from the sea. On another of the mouths is the rival city of Akassa, the seat of the British Royal Niger company, a trading concern, which, according to the Father, has driven out of the region by severe actions, three companies, two French and one English, and has earned, by alleged brutality, the hatred of the natives. Father Dubendorf reached the region when this feeling was at its most intense point, and the natives were ripe for revenge.

When the request of the King that Nathaniel be sent to Brass reached the Father he determined to accompany the boy, lest the latter be detained in captivity by the King, and in time relapse into barbarism. The journey was successfully accomplished, and the Father found Brass a considerable town of palm-leaf-thatched huts. Some had great platforms to catch the rain water, because the water of the river at that point is peculiarly unwholesome. The King, clad in a silk robe, a cravat of like material, and a felt hat, received the Father most graciously, offered him lodging, and invited him to share the royal table. The King, who, the missionary takes takes pains to tell, was once a pupil of a Protestant mission, was now an old man of venerable mien, but abundant strength and activity. Near the King's great house was a house built on a European pattern, and covered with zinc. It was comfortably furnished with European chairs and tables, and had a coal oil lamp. There were glasses and mural decorations. The King's supper was elegantly served meat in the European style, and the Father, knowing that earlier kings of Brass had been notable barbarians, could hardly believe his senses.

Early the next morning the Father called on the King, but learned that he was too busy to be seen. Waiting an hour, he was astonished to see the King come forth from a council with the chiefs, naked save for an ornate breech clout, painted, with white rings under his eyes, a musket in his hand, and a knife in his belt. The benevolent old King of the night before was transformed into a savage of ferocious aspect. Sixty canoes laden with arms were drawn up along the river bank, and the King was walking back and forth delivering incoherent orders. At the sound of a cannon he hastily gave the Father his hand, bade him live as if the house in which he lodged were his own, assured him that orders had been given for his comfortable entertainment, and went off, leaving the priest to understand that the expedition about to start was to make war upon a neighboring tribe. The Father saw the King pause before an assemblage of idols near the river bank, sprinkle his warriors with a liquid, and join in the war dance.

Nearly all the men of Brass went on the expedition. An old chief was left behind in charge of the village, and the women were forbidden in the absence of their lords to enter the houses. No sooner were the warriors gone than the women fell to quarrelling among themselves over the possession of various household utensils. They wailed over the departure of their sons to the battle, and prophesied their return with wounds or their deaths in the fight. The quarrelling kept up until after nightfall, and then the women crept to bed wherever they could find shelter outside the houses.

The first returning canoe reached Brass at six o'clock next morning, and a quantity of booty was carried into the King's house. Then it was that the Father learned that the attack had been upon the headquarters of the Royal Niger company. Father Dubendorf represents that the English would have been destroyed but for a French naval officer, Lieut. Guigues, accidentally at the headquarters, whose courage and address delayed the attack and gave some of the whites time to escape.

A young negro of the returned party leaped upon a cannon just after it had been fired, and displayed the company's flag in token of triumph. Other canoes rapidly arrived, bringing much booty, and many of the warriors wore white breech clouts, in token of enemies slain. By noon nearly all the canoes but the King's had returned. He and some of his warriors had stopped at an island some miles from Brass, and taken ashore six captive Kroumen negroes of the slave coast, who had been employed at the company's agency, and had come to hate the people of Brass. These six men were beheaded on the island, and some hours later the King, with a dozen white-clouted warriors, arrived in his canoe, and the six corpses in another. Other captives, still alive, were also brought home.

Then began a scene of savage rejoicing and cannibalism. The bodies were cut in pieces, the children being stationed round that they might be inured to the sight, and whole limbs were carried off to be cooked and eaten. One young negro, who, the Father declares, had been educated at a Protestant mission, taking in one hand the sabre of Mr. Flint, general agent of the Royal Niger Company, and in the other a limb of one of the victims, danced in savage joy about the company's flag, with a crowd of onlookers applauding.

The division of the plunder followed, accompanied by quarrels and a sort of savage frenzy. The madness of gin and palm brandy was added to that of slaughter, and the scene was so hideous that the Father refused to describe it. He notes that several parts of a human body were brought to him and he was courteously asked to take his choice. His refusal was evidently not understood.

Later, in looking from his window, the Father saw a roast thigh taken to the King's house, and mentally resolved to be careful at his next meal. The supper, at which the King was not present, was served in European style and with European dishes, save for a large roast which the priest recognized and sent away. His mind was now made up to get away as soon as possible with the boy Nathaniel. The King was not to be seen, so the priest sent word of his wishes. The King answered that the boy must remain at Brass.

"Then I remain, too," was the Father's answer, for he knew that the King desired to make a sorcerer of Nathaniel. The latter was eager to be gone, and declared that if the King made him a sorcerer, in return he would, in that character, transform the King into a gorilla.

The Father and Nathaniel, neither being guarded, concerted an escape. The village was sound asleep early in the evening, and the two visitors also pretended to go to bed. Between half-past nine and ten they stole to the river, took a light pirogue, already fixed upon in a reconnoissance early in the evening, and paddled off. They paddled until exhausted, and then the boy fell asleep. At four in the morning they heard a large pirogue passing their hiding place. They had lost their way during the night, but conjecturing that this pirogue was laden with merchandise bound for one of the white settlements, they followed it cautiously, and after some hours reached the European factory where they had already been entertained.—New York Sun.

THE ESTABLISHED CHURCH.

Bishop Perrin's Hopeful View of Its Future.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin, now on his way back to British Columbia, after a trip to England and Switzerland, for the benefit of his health, which had been seriously impaired, has charge of one of the largest dioceses in the world. His lordship is a comparatively young man, rather fragile, with a studious, soft, musical voice, large grey earnest eyes, and immediately wins upon the regard by a delicately sympathetic manner. Bishop Perrin has that unworldly, scholarly look which denotes the man of ideas, coupled with some winsomeness of manner as marks him out for the ideal chief pastor.

"Back again to harness, and greatly improved, I am thankful to say," he observed this morning in the Windsor hotel, in the course of a little informal talk.

Many things his lordship observed while in England, "I noted this, among other things that the church is more alive than ever to the importance of our colonial work, and is giving great attention to it. She recognizes that she has a deep interest in our progress in the colonies of the empire. This, I think, is a good thing. Perhaps there was not always that interest felt. But a great many things have happened since I entered the ministry, and the church faces new conditions and new problems with a great earnestness which is very gratifying. The Mother Church in England recognizes that we are with her, and that our growth is the growth of the Church of England as a whole.

"Again, the church at home is looking forward with great interest to the forthcoming Pan-Anglican conference, which is to be held at Canterbury in 1897. This conference takes place every ten years, but it is held a year earlier this time, to synchronize with the anniversary of the landing of St. Augustine. This conference will be addressed by Anglican bishops from all parts of the colonies and the United States, and I should think that there will be about two hundred bishops in all present. This will prove to be a most interesting gathering, and doubtless great questions of vital moent to the church will be discussed."

When the bishop was in England the great debate on the Welsh Disestablishment bill was in full swing at St. Stephen's and thither he went to hear the eloquence. It was a notable occasion. The house was packed every night by all that was fashionable and learned and religious. The question was a burning one. The church fought against the bill with all her strength, and was fortunate to have eloquent and able champions in parliament.

"And on the other side, too," said his lordship, smiling, "I am bound to admit that. The speeches on both sides were most able, and I was deeply interested in the whole debate——"

"Which ended happily for the church?"

"Well, I am not sure that this is the last of it. But the matter is ended for the present."

"Did you hear any whisperings of disestablishment for the church in England?"

"No; on the contrary, the idea of an established church is more firmly fixed in the public mind than it was twenty-five years ago. Dreadful things have happened, you know, socially, and there has been a certain moral tone which was not sure there was any difference between right and wrong. This set the people thinking there should be an established religious authority to give it sanction and to support with all its power the integrity and purity of personal character. For this reason the people look with favor upon an established church, which stands like a bulwark against evil, and which can be appealed to as a great national authority.

"Did you notice a tendency to a more ornate ritual, a greater dependence upon ceremonial than upon teaching?"

"No, indeed, but I noticed a great earnestness on the part of the church to do her work in the most effectual manner. The earnestness of the clergy in going out and in amongst the people is a feature which struck me. The result of the election was startling in the overwhelming majority which was given to Lord Salisbury. The church worked hard, and the greatness of that majority may be attributed to the attitude she took, because she believed that the party now in power were her friends, who believed in the permanence and value of established religious authority. Now is the time, in my opinion, when the church, thus at rest for a period, should undertake the work of needed reform in certain particulars and thus still more strongly fortify herself in the nation."

In the public schools in England there is a certain amount of religious education, and this his lordship heartily approves of.

"I was chairman of a school board before I entered upon holy orders, and I never knew the slightest friction to exist in the schools, although the Dissenters and Anglicans freely mingled. The more I saw of the schools this time, the more was I convinced of the value of religious education for the young. Wherever you get it, whether in the national or parochial schools, there should be a certain amount of religious education."

"Of a non-sectarian character?"

"Well, of a character which would inculcate our duty towards God and our fellows."

His lordship laughingly mentioned one instance in his former experience in England, where the Dissenters, having found out that the ten commandments, the Lord's Prayer and the Apostles' Creed, had been taken from the Anglican catechism, said that would never do at all, although they were unable to find fault with either on the ground of denominationalism.

Nevertheless, his lordship found by experience, in the superior moral growth of the children, how valuable the religious element was.

Referring for a moment to our own educational problems, his lordship shook his head, and expressed his deep regret that we could not arrive at a common understanding by which all the children of the country could have the benefit of a certain amount of religious education in connection with the public school system.

The bishop is accompanied by his sister, Miss Perrin.—Montreal Witness, August 20th.

BOOK NOTICES.

"The Lovely Malincourt," by Helen Mathers, is an English society novel which the reader will follow to the end notwithstanding its numerous weak points and the absence of plot and point, to learn the ending of the story, which is that of a good and lovely girl who could not help being a flirt. Macmillan & Co., of New York and London, publishers.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VERNON.

Vernon News.

A new mineral ledge was located last week on the hill above Okanagan landing. Two claims have been staked, and a few shots are being put in to uncover the ledge, which is free milling quartz, carrying gold. The claims are named Bachelor No. 1 and 2, and are staked by Messrs. G. Milligan, J. M. Martin, F. M. Kerby and J. A. McKelvie.

The Enderby mill, which was in operation for a couple of days last week, closed down again on Friday night, as it was only the intention of the manager to grind enough flour to relieve the present local want until wheat comes to the mill in larger quantities. Mr. A. L. Fortune has sent in a considerable portion of his crop, which was threshed in first class condition. Speaking of the price of wheat, Mr. Appleton, the manager, says that no hard and fast price will be set as in former years, but that the fluctuations of the market will be followed here as elsewhere, and the ruling price at the time of sale will be paid.

Holy Trinity church, Toronto, was on Aug. 15th, the scene of an event which will be of interest to many in Vernon district, when the marriage ceremony was solemnized between Christopher Benjamin Langlois, second son of Captain B. L. Lefroy, R. N., of Littlehampton, Sussex, England, and Agatha Mary Frances, youngest daughter of Rear-Admiral H. McClintock Alexander, Dundaan, Coleraine, Ireland.

A company has been formed under the name of "The Swan Lake Mining and Development Company." The officers are: W. J. Armstrong, manager; R. J. Davies, secretary; and C. E. Poulin, treasurer. Work was started this week on a shaft which will be sunk to the depth of about 50 feet, and the contract has been awarded to George Rankin, a practical miner of long experience. As far back as 1890 an assay of this rock was obtained from the late W. Bredemeyer, of Vancouver, which gave the value in gold at $12.06 per ton. In 1892 another sample was submitted to Mr. W. Pellew Harvey and the return showed an estimate of $13.08 per ton. As stated last week a third shipment of 80 pounds was made recently to Mr. Harvey with instructions to treat it by the cyanide process, and the value in gold thus obtained was $5.60 per ton. In his reply Mr. Harvey stated that as the rock was free milling the cyanide process would not be required to extract the gold, and from the croppings submitted to him he gave an opinion that if the rock could be obtained in large quantities the property would prove one of great value.

ROSSLAND.

(Rossland Miner.)

The Homestake ledge has undoubtedly been discovered on the Monday. The owners are opening it up and getting better ore every day. This is very encouraging to them as they have been working on a poor showing all summer.

C. Dundee is developing the Gigantic, a claim on the head waters of Sheep creek, which has a remarkable showing of ore on the surface.

So far as prospects go interest is centered at the present time in Deer Park mountain, which has been more or less neglected all summer. Developments on the Homestake, Monday, Deer Park and Esmeralda are so encouraging that investors are picking up heart to take hold of other properties in the section.

A force of men is at work developing the Timber mineral claim, which lies north of the Jumbo and which has not hitherto been heard of in the camp. A great discovery of ore has been made on the surface of this claim which assays high in both silver and gold.

The shaft of the Evening Star is down 20 feet on ore which averages over $100 to the ton in gold and varies from one to three feet in width. The owners are much encouraged over the showing and think they have a bonanza. If it holds out for fifty feet more in depth they can figure out an enormous profit in sight.

The day before yesterday a new discovery was made on the R. E. Lee ground, 100 feet to the south and about 150 feet east of the Maid of Erin shaft. It is supposed to be a parallel vein to that on which the work has been done. A sack of ore sampled between $42 and $43 to the ton in gold and four ounces in silver. The ore is arsenical iron.

The Maid of Erin shaft is now down 62 feet, being the deepest working on the south side of Trail creek. The shaft is in ore and the grade of ore is improving as depth is gained. It is impossible to sink any further economically without a hoist, and the development being done at present consists of drifting on the vein. Nearly four carloads of ore have been taken out of this shaft, and the ore is of sufficient grade to leave a margin on freight and treatment, even at present high figures.

The shipping mines around Rossland never looked beter than they do to-day. In the west drift on the 350 foot level on the Le Roi there are twelve feet of shipping ore in the face of the drift. The new machinery is working well and the output of the mine is now over 100 tons a day. The number of men employed underground and around the mine is 97. The Josie is admitted looking better than at any time in its history. Some remarkably high grade ore is being found, assay returns as high as 20 and 40 ounces in gold having been obtained from picked samples.

WELLINGTON.

Wellington, Sept. 2.—Mr. J. L. McKay, who has been out at Cameron Lake on a fishing excursion, has returned home and reports very good success.

The Wellington band has made arrangements for an excursion to Comox on Sept. 14th.

The bark Yosemite is being loaded at Departure Bay. The Progressist has left after being here a week.

A number of Wellington people have gone on a prospecting tour in the vicinity of Alberni. Among them are Messrs. Cross and Craig.

The public school here was paid a visit by S. D. Pope, LL. D., superintendent of education, on Thursday last.

Mr. Andrew Bryden will have the superintending of the mines during the absence of Mr. Alex. Sharpe, who has gone to San Francisco for his health.

When levelling is finished the new athletic grounds of Wellington will compare favorably with any along the line.

The public schools here will be closed on Monday owing to it being labor day.

Owing to the excessive heat and the heavy smoke hanging over the place, two children of the public school fainted in school last week.

Wellington has been surrounded by fire for some time past, but now that some rain has fallen all danger is past.

ENDERBY.

Vernon, Aug. 30.—Word has just been received from Enderby that Robert Wright, brother of Rev. J. K. Wright, of Lansdowne, committed suicide by taking poison, dying at 11:30 yesterday. Deceased was 37 years of age and unmarried. For some time his mind has been deranged. The corner has been requested to hold an inquest.

BARKERVILLE.

Barkerville, Aug. 23.—On the divide at Sheppard creek good returns have been got with the pan, but how the gold came in such a place is a mystery to old timers and new comers as well. No one can account for it. One day Senator Reed got $3 in one pan, Mr. Sheppard $5, Charles House, of the House hotel, $5, John McLean, of the Occidental, Quesnelle, $4, and G. V. Atkinson $2.50.

All the hydraulic claims have cleaned up for the season, and done remarkably well. Mr. Whittier's claim has cleaned and he will start again on the Eye-opener.

"LAW AND LIFE."

Lecture by Dr. Ernest Hall at the Y.M.C.A. Meeting Yesterday.

One of the most interesting men's meetings of the season was held at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon. The subject of the address was "Law and Life," by Dr. Ernest Hall. The doctor illustrated his address by introducing to the large audience of young men who were present, Mr. George Eaton. After showing how law was necessary for life he said, how could we account for the reversion of law in a single moment, as was demonstrated in the case of his friend to his left. Here was a man who was bound by a law that was dragging him down, when in a moent that law is reversed and the man by some unseen power becomes a new man. Mr. Eaton was then called to tell his experience. He said he was converted under the preaching of Rev. S. Cleaver at the time when he was preaching on the "Seven Devils. At that time he could drink more whiskey and swear bigger, louder and longer oaths than any other man. He said that he had seldom, if ever, for twenty years prior to that time had breakfast until he had drank two pints of whiskey and at least one or two bottles during the remainder of the day, oftentimes even more than that quantity, and seldom went to bed sober. Besides this he had his periodical spree, when he would get gloriously drunk, but since his conversion he had not drunk a drop of intoxicating liquor or sworn an oath. Now he said, "how do you account for it? I could not have worked this change in myself for I was opposed to it and I was weak. Nothing but the power of God in my poor weak heart could ever have performed such a change." An opportunity was given to anyone present to ask Mr. Eaton questions, to all of which he gave clear and concise answers. Dr. Hall in closing, said he looked on the age of miracles as past, but knowing the man as he did, he considered his change in life as remarkable as any miracle that Christ performed when on earth. The meeting had an added attraction in a violin solo by Mr. Noel Barker and a vocal solo by Mr. Wheeler.

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CRICKET.

INTERNATIONAL SPORTS.

Livingston, Staten Island, Sept. 2.—Nearly one thousand visitors arrived at the beautiful grounds of the Staten Island Cricket Club this morning to witness the opening match between Captain Frank Mitchell's English cricketers and the All New Yorks. The grounds are well stalled off with large tennis nets, and visitors were obliged to go through serpentine paths to reach the grand stand and bleachers. Only a few ladies were in the audience. The crease was in excellent condition. Captain McNutt won the toss, and the game opened with the All New York team at the bat. Before entering the field the visitors were photographed. The batters are: C. Byers, A. E. Patterson, Tyers, M. R. Cobb, Lohmann, R. T. Roxby, J. Mort, T. F. Kelly, H. McNutt, J. L. Pool, J. Rose, W. S. R. Ogilby. Umpires: Pacy for the visitors and Byron Wharton for All New York. Precisely at 11:35 o'clock the game was called with Byers and Patterson, for New York, at the bat, and W. F. Milligan and J. C. Hartley, of Mitchell's team, bowling. Milligan bowled the first ball and was hit by Patterson for one run. Byers and Patterson made a good stand for over an hour, but scored slowly and made but few boundary hits. Milligan and Hartly were relieved by Lowe and Wilson, and Patterson was caught out by Wilson, bowled by Lowe, score 52-1-17. Tyres, Cobb, Lohmann, Roxby and Mort succeeded at the bat and Arkwright succeeded Lowe. Recess was taken at 1:25, when the score stood, 102-7-8.

BASEBALL.

AMITIES STILL IN FIRST PLACE.

The baseball match between Nanaimo and Victoria did not come off this afternoon. There would, no doubt, have been a large attendance, as there were no counter attractions in the sporting line, and the game would have been keenly contested, on account of the rivalry existing between the two clubs.

The Amities were prepared for the game, and were hopeful of success. A telegram was received this morning, however, to the effect that the Nanaimo nine would not be on hand. As the game to have been played to-day was intended to be one of a series to decide the Championship of British Columbia, the following letter from the secretary of the Vancouver Club will probably shed a ray of light, accounting for the non-appearance of the Nanaimo men:

S. D. Schultz, Victoria, B. C.:

Dear Sir,—Yours of 20th to Mr. Emerson has been handed to me for reply, and I beg to state that the last game played in Nanaimo was an exhibition game and was arranged so with them before the game, and there still remains a scheduled game to be played in this city. Yours very truly.

G. L. FOWLER,
Secretary Vancouver B. B. Club.

The above letter places a different phase on the status of the clubs, and Nanaimo is a little previous in its efforts to bring about a series of games for the championship. The Amities still hold the lead and the Nanaimos have to defeat Vancouver before being in a position to try conclusions with Victoria. The Vancouver nine has been strengthened and it is asserted that they have a pitcher named Egan who will prove somewhat of a puzzle to the Diamond City batters.

The Amities were out for practice this afternoon. They have decided to get down to hard work, so that in the event of Nanaimo defeating Vancouver they will be prepared to fight Nanaimo for first place. There will be no lack of pitchers. Besides Leafesty there are Jackson, Schultz and Gus Gowen to place in the box. All have good arms and are in splendid condition. An attempt will be made to put some discipline and team play in the work of the boys.

ENGLISHMEN BEATEN.

Middlebrough, Eng., Sept. 2—The Boston amateur baseball team beat the local nine here on Saturday by a score of 15 to 3. There were about six thousand spectators present. The Bostonians will play at the Crystal Palace during the coming week.

CHESS.

To the Editor: In the chess column of the Province of Saturday last the chess editor refers to a protest from myself respecting the trophy lately awarded to Mr. C. Schweugers. My protest is based upon the following facts: The trophy was offered for competition to the Chess Club upon these conditions. Each member entering to play in one of four sections, and the winners of each of the four sections should finally compete for the trophy. Two rules of great importance may be quoted here. First, that each player must play with one specified opponent every week, and the games scored on Thursday night of each week by the player winning, or in case of absence of any player, the game should be scored by default against him and in favor of the player present. The second rule is that the committee may order games that are material to the issue and are defaulted to be played, since it is obvious that a player defaulting a game my prejudice another player's chances. The winners of the four sections are Messrs. Berridge, Hunnex, C. Schwengers and myself, the scores in actual play being as follow: W. Marchant, 2½ games; J. Hunnex, 2; C. Schwengers, 1½; W. Berridge, nil. Though Mr. Berridge defaulted two games each to Messrs. Hunnex and C. Schwengers, and myself defaulting one to Mr. C. Schwengers—Mr. Berridge arranging to count one game with myself as a draw—the scores appear as follows: C. Schwengers, 4½ games; J. Hunnex, 4; W. Marchant, 3; W. Berridge, ½. Consequently the position is this: that Mr. Berridge defaulting two games each to my opponents prejudices my chances, and my default to Mr. C. Schwengers prejudices Mr. Hunnex's chances, Mr. Schwengers obtaining the trophy purely by luck. Now, every chess player prides himself particularly on this, that chess is pre-eminently a game of skill, and not of luck; and as luck alone awarded the trophy to Mr. Schwengers, the rule before quoted that games material to the issue should be played, ought to be put in force. Most remarkable to relate, the committee refused to consider the protest, and I therefore have reluctantly appealed to a general meeting of the club to decide the whole matter. My own suggestions are these: First, let all games be actually played out; second, declare Mr. Schwengers the winner conditionally that the trophy be again put up for competition to be won twice; third, let the donor of the trophy decide the whole question. Under any circumstance I would not receive the trophy this year for myself, except to be used for further competition. I understand that Mr. J. Hunnex is in accord with these views.

W. MARCHANT.

PILLSBURY FIRST.

Hastings, Eng., Sept. 2.—Pillsbury, the American player, won the game with Gunsburg in the international tournament, and takes first prize.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP.

A Newport dispatch gives the following account of the battle for the American championship:

"Wrenn fell before Hovey's great playing this morning on the Casino courts, and Hovey, after four tries at the finals and two at the championships, has finally reached the pinnacle of tennis fame. His game to-day was modeled after that of Pim, the great Irish expert, and Hovey claims the lessons he learned from the Irishman contributed greatly to his overwhelming victory in straight sets. Wrenn played about the same game that he has put up in previous tournaments this season, but that was not anywhere good enough. Still, the little Harvard man was nervy in the face of defeat, and fought gamely until the last point. Hovey played far more steadily than ever before. His control of the ball was very good, and he scored over half of his points by placing. Over three thousand people saw the game. Campton was referee, and ten experts acted as linesmen. Ex-Champion Sears watched the game. Hovey led from the word "go" in each set. In the first Wrenn made a slight effort to brace, but the second set was almost a walkover. Only in the last set did Wrenn trouble his opponent. The Harvard crack pulled up nervily from 2-5, and though Hovey had four chances to win the championship by a single stroke, in the eighth game, Wrenn managed to make the score 4-5. Though Wrenn started in well in the tenth game, Hovey was not to be withstood, and in spite of the fact that the crowd was all with his opponent, ran four points in succession, a shot into the net placing Wrenn in the ex-champion class. Hovey scored 94 over points to Wrenn's 74. Sands won the consolation prize easily. The score: Championship singles, challenge round—F. H. Hovey, challenger, defeated R. D. Wrenn, holder, 6-3, 6-2, 6-4."

THE RING.

THE BIG FIGHT.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 2.—J. P. Gillespie, attorney of Dallas county, said to-day as to the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight: "There is no statutory provision by which the remedy of injunction can be invoked to prevent, prohibit, or restrain the violation of any penal law. In the absence of proceedings by injunction, I, as county attorney, am not clothed with power or authority until there has been a violation of the law. At noon to-morrow will be effective the civil code, which levies a tax of $500 on every contest between man and man. The tax will be tendered to the collector, and if he refuses to issue a license mandamus proceedings will be entered by the Florida Athletic club, and the supreme court called to pass on the case."

LACROSSE.

TRIANGLE-CAPITAL GAME.

The game between the Triangles and Capitals at Caledonia grounds served to illustrate the fact that Victoria is developing some star players among the youngsters. The seniors won by five goals to one and did not try so very hard at times. Of course they played the game, but there was no severe checking or very close following. The juniors played their strongest game, and the crowd, in a good natured sort of way, sympathized with them. Macnaughton, Eckardt, Belfry, the Cullins, Ditchburn and Tite of the seniors made some pretty exhibition play, while Campbell, Clark, Bland, Stephen, Finlaison and Schnoter did best for the youngsters. The games were scored as follow:

SUMMARY.

Game	Won by:	Scored by:	Time:
1	Capitals	Smith	6 min
2	Triangles	Dempster	20 "
3	Traingles	Eckardt	17 "
4	Traingles	Eckardt	13 "
5	Triangles	F. Cullin	10 "
6	Triangles	Cullin	12 "

SHAMROCKS WIN.

In the game between the Capitals of Ottawa and the Shamrocks of Montreal to-day, the latter were victorious by three games to one.

YACHTING.

THE TERMS SETTLED.

New York, Sept. 2.—The conference of Lord Dunraven and the cup committee has resulted in the issuance by the New York Yacht Club of the following announcement:

"The match for the America's cup contest will consist of the best three out of five races over courses thirty nautical miles in length, with a time limit of six hours. The match will commence on September 7, and will be continued on alternate days. The races will be started off Sandy Hook lightship, the preparatory signal being given at 10.50 a.m. and the starting signal at 11 o'clock."

THE WHEEL.

JOHNSON WINS.

T. A. Johnson won the 10½ mile bicycle handicap race for the Harris cup, winning both the cup and the time prize. The summary follows.

Rider.	Handicap.	Place.	Time.
T. A. Johnson	3 min.	1	30:32 4-5
T. G. Moody	1.40 min.	2	31:24
T. Kavanaugh	1 min.	3	31:26
E. E. Bradley	Scratch	*	30:46 1-5
F. E. Alley	Scratch	4	30:46 2-5
W. Hewartson	1.00 min.	5	
H. Wille	4 min	did not finish	

*Riding for time prize only.

GREAT ROAD RACE.

Buffalo, Sept. 2.—The bicycle races at the driving park to-day under the auspices of the Rambler Bicycle Club were attended by thousands of spectators. The chief interest centered in the match race for $1,000 between Johnson, Sanger and Tyler, best two in three heats, distance one mile. The initial event, the novice race, was first called and immediately following the track was cleared for the great road race. First heat—Johnson was first by about six inches; Sanger second; Tyler third. Time: 2:14¾. The wind was rather heavy, which told against the speed.

THE GUN.

BUT ONE DEER.

There were three smoking cars full of hunters, with rifles, guns and a number of dogs on last evening's down train from Nanaimo. The fruits of this death dealing brigade reposed in a small corner of the baggage car in the shape of one small inoffensive deer.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Y. M. C. A. intend organizing both association and Rugby football teams this year.

W. Sanborn, a member of the Cornell rowing crew, passed through Victoria on Saturday on his way home to California.

H. L. Gulline's team defeated H. Cuthbert's team at cricket on Saturday by 47 runs. A return game is being played to-day.

Patterson Sworn In.

Ottawa, Sept. 2.—Hon. Mr. Patterson was sworn in as Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba this morning.

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